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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

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For: RADIOLOGICAL IMAGING APPARATUS

PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM <u>ISSUE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2)</u>

Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Petitioners hereby petition the Commissioner to withdraw the aboveidentified application from issue. Withdrawal from issue of the above-identified application is requested to permit consideration of the accompanying submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (Request for Continued Examination) with an Information Disclosure Statement. The Issue Fee in this application was timely paid on February 7, 2005.

Please charge our Credit Card in the amount of \$130.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h). Credit Card Payment Form SB-2038, with a signature from an authorized cardholder, is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our

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